

LIBERALS ORGANIZE

A meeting of the supporters of the Liberal party was held in the Alexandra Hall on Thursday evening last to organize the local association and appoint the various officers and executive committee.

In spite of the inclement weather, a large number were present, including representatives from the various districts. Mr. J. T. Berry occupied the chair, and the following officers were appointed:

President—Ald. Broughton.
1st Vice-Pres.—J. T. Berry.
2nd Vice-Pres.—G. M. Thompson.
3rd Vice-Pres.—A. B. Thompson.
Secretary—J. Gillespie.
Treasurer—J. Percival.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted and sent to the leaders of the Liberal party in the Provincial Legislature:

Resolved that this meeting of Liberals of the Red Deer Provincial Constituency express its confidence in the administration of Premier William Lyon Mackenzie King and the policy of the Federal Liberal Party.

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At the conclusion of the routine business, the Hon. Chas. Mitchell addressed the meeting, basing his remarks especially upon the financial programme of the Greenfield Government, the cause of the present financial deficits as shown by the budgets laid before the House, and contrasting them with the successful efforts that are being made by municipalities in bringing expenditures within the limits of their revenues.

Mr. Mitchell at the close was given a very hearty vote of thanks for his very clear and able presentation of the financial situation of the province.

The meeting was brought to a close by singing "God Save the King."

REBEKAS GO TO MOUNTAIN HOUSE

The Degree Team of Alberta Rebekah Lodge No. 77, went to Rocky Mountain House on Friday last, March 21st, in company with Sister M. Moffat, President of the Rebekah Association of Alberta, and Sister Neilson, Grand Marshal, both from Edmonton, also accompanied by the Rebekahs, eighteen in all, to institute a new lodge at that point, which will be known hereafter as Rebekah Lodge No. 92.

Upon reaching the above place, they were met by some of the brothers and escorted to the Elton Hotel, where from there to the Strong boarding house, where the tables were spread and a hearty dinner was served and enjoyed by all.

After doing ample justice to the good things, the guests were taken to the lodge room, where the Grand Officers took charge for the first part of the evening, followed by the Rebekah Degree, on three sisters, and three brothers, after the work again, assisted by Sister M. Stone, D. P., and Sister A. Nelson, J. P.

After the officers had read their respective offices for the balance of the term, speeches were made by both of the Grand Officers and a few words from the new members which were appreciated very much.

A dainty lunch was served by the Sisters at midnight, thus bringing the business to a close.

Beside the Grand Officers, Mrs. Moffat and Mrs. Neilson, the following went out by C.P.R.: Mrs. M. Stone, D.D.P.; Mrs. A. Nelson, J.P.; Mrs. E. Stone, J.P.; Mrs. E. G. Rice, J.P.; Mrs. L. P. Gibson; Mrs. J. Dale; Mrs. F. Hayhoe; Mrs. Vilma Card; Mrs. W. McInnes; Mrs. Kennedy; Miss K. Morton; Miss E. Thompson; Miss M. L. Lewis; Mr. E. Beckett.

Owing to arriving so late in the evening, they were unable to see much of Mountain House scenery, but although very tired, all enjoyed the short stay to very much interest and hope some time in the near future to be able to return to the kindness of the Western Sisters, some of whom were former residents of Red Deer.

HIVES—WEAVER

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. George's, Penhold, on Tuesday, March 25, when Katherine, youngest daughter of the late Tom Hives and Mrs. Hives, became the bride of Charles Lewis, youngest son of Arthur Joseph Weaver, of Henbury, near Bristol, England. The bride was supported by her mother, Mrs. Hives, and her sister, Mary Walker, and Sidney Hives stood up with the groom.

The bride, looking charming in a tailor-made tulle dress, with hat and blouse to match, was given away by her eldest brother, Mr. Hives.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Walker, and the couple left for two weeks' trip to the Coast.

The many useful and valuable presents were testified to the popularity of the young couple. Amongst the presents were noticed a silver cake plate, the gift from fellow members of the Women's Institutes, and an ivory-covered prayer and hymn book from fellow members of the Women's Guild of St. George's parish.

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MRS. COLE'S BROTHER PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Jos. Cole received the sad tidings of the death of her brother, William Bradley, of Leduc, Ont., a few days ago. Mr. Bradley was one of the Globe, speaking of his death, says: "Listed last one of the oldest citizens in the person of William Bradley. The late Mr. Bradley was born on Sept. 17th, 1857. He was one of a family of thirteen. His father was one of Mackenzie's followers, and was forced to keep in hiding following the rising of 1857. William Bradley was then three months old, and the kind nurse cared for him. He was the oldest living brother of the Methodist Church board." Besides Mrs. Cole, another sister resides in the west, namely, Mrs. Samuel E. South, of Stettler, to whom sympathy is extended in their bereavement.

Keep open the evening of Wednesday, April 18th, for the Salvation Army, in their efforts to establish the administration of Premier William Lyon Mackenzie King and the policy of the Federal Liberal Party.

The Barst Lady's Women's Institute will hold a bazaar and shadow play in the schoolhouse on April 1st, at 8 o'clock. Come and enjoy good time. Ladies please bring baskets.

BLACKFALDS BREEZES

"Martha Made Over" The popular play, "Martha Made Over," was nicely presented by a group of Blackfalds people, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid in the auditorium, on Saturday evening of last week. Mrs. J. Larson directed the play.

The theme of the play is so well known as to make any explanation unnecessary. As the play progressed, Mrs. Wady acted the part of Martha in a very realistic manner, while Walter, who played the part of Dave, seemed quite in the home atmosphere, especially while taking food from the dining table, and a great deal of money from his mother. Mr. F. Miller acted "Dad" very natural, this being due to his own experience of being in his natural element.

Mr. S. Farewell gave a very pleasing impersonation of "Uncle Joe," with his electric oil bottles, and gave the audience many occasions for laughter. The play was well up to the mark in acting the part of Uncle Joe's bride to be, while Miss Box was well up to the mark in the part of Miss Edith.

The two young daughters of Martha, Miss May Farewell and Dorothy Bille, were also very well up to the mark in their parts. The play was well up to the mark in its acting, and the audience was well up to the mark in its appreciation of the play.

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Mr. F. Farley, of the Atlas Lumber Co., spent last week end with friends in Camrose.

An enthusiastic meeting of the farmers of the Blackfalds district met in the evening of last week, when Mr. Patterson explained the advantages of co-operative shipping of live stock. Mr. Patterson was well supplied with facts and figures, gleaned from his experience as shipper.

Mr. Patterson's address was short, it was full of his subject, and after answering questions he left him at the close of his talk. We feel that there is little doubt as to how the farmers of Blackfalds will view their stock in the future. Before Mr. J. Loring, acting as chairman, several musical items were given, both vocal and instrumental. At the close of the meeting the ladies served lunch.

Mr. Fred Bille shipped his third carload of potatoes on Wednesday, March 19th. Yes, we can grow apples in our district.

Don't forget the wheat drive and don't let the Blackfalds fall, starting at 8 o'clock, Friday evening, April 1st.

These snow showers every day are quite welcome. Plenty of snow means moisture for crops this spring.

Chas. Row was putting up ice this week.

Mrs. C. B. Packler was visiting from her home in Calgary, and was with her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Miller were Lacombe visitors Friday.

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LOCAL NEWS

Keep Friday, March 28th, open—Hockey Club dance in the Armoueries. James Latimer, Vancouver, was the guest of W. J. Botterill over the week end.

G. P. Simons left Saturday for Portland, Oregon, where he will take up insurance work.

W. E. Lord arrived home from his business trip in the eastern provinces last Thursday.

Charlie Wright is at Leduc, where he will spend the winter with his grandmother, Mrs. C. Wright.

Boys and Girls' Sea Gasts-Cornell's window for prizes in the contest for Bullock and Terrier wrappers.

On the 22nd March, 1922, 22 years ago last Saturday, John McVicar opened the bookstalls on Galtz Ave. in this city.

Miss Stella O'Neill spent the week end in Calgary, visiting Miss Edith Hill, who is attending Normal School in this city.

N. White left on Saturday for Vancouver to attend a convention of the Canadian Life Insurance Association in the west.

Bulldog and Terrier Oranges and lemons are the best procurable. J. Marshall, of Oliver, was a visitor in this city on Friday and Saturday.

Martin O'Harrow, of Edmonton, has purchased four quarter sections and 120 acres of land in the Willowdale and Edwell districts, W. J. Botterill putting through the deal.

Mrs. John Quigg's friends will be pleased to hear she is improving nicely after having a most serious operation for appendicitis last week.

There will be change in the Department examinations this year, as they will start on June 18th with languages, French and English, and 10 examinations start on Monday, June 23rd.

At the tenth annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons, held in the city of Calgary recently, J. H. Beattie of Calgary Chapter, Red Deer, was elected to the office of Grand Superintendent of Masonic District No. 2.

Jarvis-Goodie have just installed a splendid new power saw machine of the most modern type. It will slice through a quarter inch trace with the greatest ease, and is a great addition to the already excellent equipment of this well known firm.

The Chief Government Censor, hearing that the proceeds of the Rotary Club fund-raising drive had been used for the purchase of playground equipment, has very generously released the Club from the usual restrictions of the act, and the proceeds will be used for every child as well as Club members.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greening, of Horn Hill, will leave Saturday for Victoria, B.C., returning to their home near the end of the month. The Coast time also owing to the death of their daughter, Mrs. Boyce, and her sister and brother out from Ireland shortly.

A very distressing accident happened to little six-year-old Helen Barter, of the C. N. R. school, fifth street north, on Wednesday afternoon last, whereby she lost part of her right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Fisher were visiting from their home in Calgary, and were with their grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Gibson.

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THE WILD FLOWERS OF WESTERN CANADA

All lovers of flowers should attend the lecture on the above subject, to be given by Mr. W. C. McNalla, in the Assembly Hall, on Friday, March 28th, at 8 p.m.

The lecture will be well illustrated, many of the slides showing the flowers in their natural colours.

WOMEN'S LIBERAL CLUB FORMED

A meeting of Liberal women was held in the Alexandra Hall, Red Deer, at 3 o'clock, Thursday afternoon. The women present were organized into a Women's Liberal Club by Mrs. Roy Stovel, C.O. of Edmonton.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. W. Broughton; second vice-president, Mrs. J. E. Carroll; third vice-president, Mrs. A. B. Thompson; secretary, Mrs. G. M. Thompson; Mrs. A. Pyte, and Mrs. J. McVicar.

The Honorable C. R. Mitchell spoke on the policy of the Liberal party. Edward G. Fisher spoke of the growth of the Liberal party in the province.

Mrs. Roy Cook gave a very comprehensive and interesting account of the new party women are taking in politics at the present time.

HOCKEY CLUB DANCE, FRIDAY, MARCH 28

Keep in mind the Hockey Club dance on Friday night of this week in the Armoueries. The Club needs generous support to come out on top for the season's operations, and this dance will be your last opportunity of helping out.

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Let's make the hockey boys this hard to make their dance a success, and will strive just as hard to entertain.

Harold Bone, who is a good hockey player, is the man to make the most of the very best he's orchestra can put up, and that is saying a good deal.

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SAMUEL FLACK DEAD

Samuel Flack, of Donald, died on Friday last, March 21st, aged 72 years. Deceased was one of Red Deer's old timers and was known to every settler for miles around. He owned the farm south of the city and sold to the James Bower many years ago. He was the first butter-maker in Red Deer and operated the Dairy Products, received instruction under him. The Red Deer Exhibition grounds were established where they are owing to his efforts. He moved to Water Glen, afterwards selling his splendid farm to George Root and shortly to Donald, where he has since resided. He leaves, besides a sorrowing widow, four daughters, Mrs. McKay, of Donald, teaching near Carleton Place, and Mrs. L. H. McKay, of Donald, teaching near Carleton Place, and Mrs. L. H. McKay, of Donald, teaching near Carleton Place.

The relatives have the sympathy of the members of the farmers of this district in their affliction.

HARMONY TEMPLE NO. 12 A temple of the Pythian Sisters was instituted at Red Deer on Friday last, at 2 p.m., in the Knights of Pythias hall. The ceremonies were conducted by the Hon. W. C. McNalla, special deputy for Alberta, assisted by the following members of the order: W. C. McNalla, Grand Master; Past Chief Mabel McArthur, Most Excellent Chief Mabel McArthur, Most Excellent Chief Mabel McArthur, Most Excellent Chief Mabel McArthur.

The officers are: Most excellent chief, Lizzie Day; most excellent senior, Mrs. J. W. Broughton; most excellent junior, Mrs. J. E. Carroll; most excellent warden, Mrs. A. B. Thompson; most excellent treasurer, Mrs. G. M. Thompson; most excellent secretary, Mrs. A. Pyte; most excellent assistant secretary, Mrs. J. McVicar.

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PROVINCIAL LIQUOR COMMISSIONER HERE

R. J. Dinning was in the city on Tuesday afternoon last week in connection with his duties as Provincial Liquor Commissioner under the new act. He interviewed several persons who had applied for the position of liquor vendor, and inspected some premises that could be used for a store. He also intimated that he did not intend to place a liquor vendor's license at Red Deer unless the people really wanted it, although the city was entitled to have it. The Council of the Board of Trade took up the matter with its members and decided to put in a formal request, as they felt the city should not be shut out from the procedure in the handling of liquor provided for in the new liquor act.

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THE RUHR OCCUPATION JUSTIFIED

Two financial committees drawn from the Allied powers and including American representatives have been investigating on the spot the eternal problem of German reparations. The chief result of their investigations seems to be their recognition of the fact that it is only the occupation of the Ruhr by France that has convinced Germany that she must make some sincere effort to pay reparations. Without that occupation the committees realize that Germany would have continued to evade payment, confident that no harm would result from her deliberate breach of her treaty agreements.

It is high time that that fact was realized and publicly admitted. In Britain and America there has been an unlimited amount of condemnation of France for her behaviour in Germany, but no straightforward attempt to face the fact that Germany was not trying to fulfil her obligations and no suggestion as to what should be done to compel her to fulfil them. France faced the fact, and with only the help of Belgium took the necessary steps to compel respect for the Treaty. For that course France now receives from these committees a certificate of justification.

The British and American attitude of mind is understandable. During the war leaders of the British Empire and the States declared that this must be the last war, that never again should such a thing be allowed. They shrank from facing the fact that all wars: nature is wholly changed, war under some form or another will certainly go on. When Germany refused to carry out the Treaty, Britain and the States had either to admit that force and force alone remained the final argument by which to obtain justice, and to apply that force to Germany, or they had to resort to argument and persuasion. They had not the moral courage to admit the ugly fact that force was still necessary even after the war was won.

They therefore chose the alternative of verbal protest to which Germany naturally paid no attention whatever. France waited till there could be no question as to Germany's bad faith. Then she occupied the Ruhr. Now Germany seems likely to begin to try and live up to her obligations. The moral may be a sad one for idealists, but it is fairly clear.

**SOMETHING THAT WE CANNOT
BE PROUD OF.**

Mr. Meighen in a recent speech on Conservative policy gave as one point in that policy the taking by Canada of a fair share in the defence of the Empire. The present Liberal government seems to be perfectly satisfied with Canada's share. Here are some figures as to relative expenditure on defence by the various sections of the British Empire.

For every individual of her population Great Britain spends on defence annually \$14.00, Australia \$4.20, New Zealand \$2.88, South Africa \$2.84, Canada \$1.60.

Of those sums the share taken for naval defence is: Great Britain \$6.58, Australia \$2.23, New Zealand \$1.08, Canada \$1.00, South Africa \$2.20.

Canada is the largest and most populous of the overseas Dominions. Yet these figures show that she contributes to the joint defence of the Empire less per head of population than any of the Dominions, and to naval expenditure less than any except South Africa and South America. It is in a special position, because she has to make considerable military defensive arrangements because of the large black native population within her borders, which outnumbers the whites by about four to one. We here

hand, counsel for the Crown in criminal cases, and in the case of a man involved in a criminal case, the business of having a criminal lawyer. As a result of the kind taken before the Supreme Court on March 6th, might very properly form a part of the criminal law in some countries where a suspected man is considered guilty until his innocence is proved; but such appeals have no place in Canada or any other British colony, where the law confers all men innocent until their guilt is clearly established.

The Criminal Code may have needed amendment but most decidedly a mistake was made when an amendment of the kind under which the Supreme Court of Alberta acted in the Hansen case should never have been made.

The Edmonton Bulletin on Saturday last devoted half a page to discussing the case, but owing to the length of the article we cannot find space to reproduce it here.

EDITORIAL NOTES

A little three-line notice in the dailies announces the death of Robert Nivelle, the heroic defender of Verdun. During the war his death would have been the feature item in the dailies. Are people so forgetful, or is it a fact that the readers demand only the sensational news, the news that chronicles events that should never have happened?

The citizens of the future are the boys and girls of today. The best citizens will be the children of today who are taught now to look after themselves, to be saving, temperate and thoughtful, and at the same time to serve others. This is the aim of the boy scout, wolf cub and girl guide movements, and these organizations should be helped to the best of their power. It cannot be done unless the parents do their part.

The City Council, in our opinion, decided wisely in deciding to rent land to Chinese market gardeners. It means an extra revenue to the city and cannot, under present circumstances, do anyone any appreciable injury.

The Dominion Government seems to be paying at least some small bit of attention to the public demand for economy. Some of the Provincial Governments also are showing that they realize they should be doing so. But the movement does not appear to be popular with the people they are supposed to represent. But the movement does not appear to be popular with the people they are supposed to represent. But the movement does not appear to be popular with the people they are supposed to represent.

Figures prove that the makers of farm machinery in Canada are not the robbers that many would make them out to be. They sell machinery much cheaper than they do in the United States. It is reported that this pool has been the cause of the opposition, at the time of the election, to the proposed transients of our district. However, it was decided that any progressive step that will do away with the criticism of the pool is worthy of support. This is the great plank in the platform of education versus coercion and the people are open to conviction and education, any criticism ventured will eventually die when it is intended to accomplish.

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

Issued by Publicity Commissioner,
Government Buildings, Edmonton.

Success of Municipal Hospitals

During the past four years, according to figures prepared by A. W. Watson, Supervisor of Hospitals for Alberta, the rural municipal hospital system has had for a total of 277 patients, at the low average cost per case of approximately \$15, based on operating costs only. The cost per case in 1920 to 1923 inclusive. Had these patients been cared for at city hospital rates, and provided with the same service, the cost per case would have been approximately \$45.

During the past four years mentioned the rural municipal hospital system not only cared for the total of patients as stated, but also provided services to the ordinary hospital services, a total of 1470 major operations and 3123 minor operations, and had a total of 10922 out-patient cases. In 1923, the rural hospitals were operated at the low average cost per patient of \$12.12, being the cost based on a total of 67,941 hospital days, with a total operating expenditure of \$219,478. In 1923, the rural hospitals which had the largest number of patients, the operating cost was as low as \$10.00 per patient.

It is expected that at least five new hospital districts will be put into operation during the coming year. Six of these are expected to come into operation within the next few months.

Telephone Statistics

The Provincial Government telephone system in Alberta now serves a total of 969 communities in Alberta, and has established connections with 455 offices in the Province of Saskatchewan, 229 in Manitoba, 78 in the Western States, and 32 in B.C. In addition to this, telephone connection on contract has been established with Chicago and other points in the East. These are some of the facts contained in an annual report of the telephone department for 1923.

The total number of phones served by the system is now 97,275, of which 22,290 are exchange phones, 25,230 are rural phones, 1085 are on private party wires, and 5,383 are connecting subscribers. There are 264 exchanges in the province, with 301 toll offices, and 62 private party lines. There are 35,552 miles of long distance lines. The long distance service into Manitoba has been a great success. As many as 10,000 calls are made each year into Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

The operating expenses of the department were reduced \$234,011 during the past year, while there was an increase in revenue, the revenue for the year being the greatest in three years.

Motion Pictures on Province

A series of motion pictures on Alberta, prepared by the Publicity Branch of the Alberta Government, is to be sent overseas for use at the British Exposition shortly. The pictures cover all farming activities and the coal mining industry.

Send Grain Going Fast

The Provincial Government Send

Grain Cleaning and Marketing Plant has disposed of more than 50,000 bushels of seed, which is in excess of the amount it was expected to be marketed this season, and compares with 16,500 bushels marketed during the season of 1922-23. A great deal of seed is going out of the province, as well as to points abroad.

New Settlers Arrive

The first party of new settlers for the Lettbridge Northern irrigated district arrived in that district the past week, conducted from the old land by E. H. Hahn, a trustee of the irrigation district. The new families number 28, coming from Switzerland and Holland. A further party is expected shortly.

A new party of Haidobras who will settle near Red Deer and in other parts of the province is expected to arrive in Alberta within the next month.

The first of a number of natives of Czechoslovakia who will come to Alberta to settle arrived in the province the past week.

Champion Steer

The steer "Linda Gay Lad," bred by the University of Alberta, was awarded the Grand Championship at the winter fair at Saskatoon last week, in the Hereford class.

New Pig Clubs

A thriving new boys' and girls' pig club has been organized at Vegreville by F. H. Newcombe, District Agriculturalist. The new club has applications for membership totalling 35. Other districts in the same territory are planning to organize clubs.

Annual Feeders' Day

The third annual feeders' day at the Alberta University will be held on Saturday, April 5, which is the last day of the Edmonton Spring Show. During the past year the animal husbandry department has been conducting experiments with different feeds, and the results of the experiments will be available for inspection.

LESLEVILLE

Ho, ye farmers and fellow-men: The community hall was awakened from its slumbers on Saturday, 15th. A gathering of progressive farmers assembled to hear the report of the local delegate who attended the All-Canada Dairy Producers' Pool.

What the meeting lacked in numbers was more than made up with enthusiasm. Horace J. Meeres, delegate, gave a lucid report of the convention, also explaining to the contemplated scheme of the pool.

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There will be another meeting in the near future, when the contract and other data will be at hand. All cream shippers are invited who are interested in the proposed scheme. The assembly any question relevant to co-operative dairy produce marketing will be answered. "Watch these pools." They are making history.

Wm. Barton, who in the past has been the local agent for the Meadow Creamery at Alton, has now severed his connection with that firm, and is representative of the Central Creameries at Ekville.

In fairness to justice, we feel in

Hardware

BRASS WASHBOARD \$1.00
GLASS WASHBOARD \$1.15
ZINC WASHBOARD 75c
BOILERS, galvanized \$1.85
BOILERS, Copper \$5.95
POLISHED TIN COPPER BOTTOM, flat \$3.35

ROCKERY \$14.50
Dolly type, high speed \$22.50
Power Washer \$29.50

Big heavy Stock Pump \$13.50
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VALSPAR
VARNISH-STAIN**

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duty bound to make mention that, although the Meadow Creamery has a local agent, they are still running on their high efficiency standard, and solicit business from this district.

The Knights of Pythias are making rapid strides in the furtherance of the work in this district. It is rumored that their accommodation is inadequate to meet the requirements.

Talk about your talk about! You sure missed it if you weren't at the Masque ball on St. Patrick's Night. The costumes were all the way from gorgeous to plain clothes. The first prize was captured by the aged Indian with his faithful squaw and little papoose. This remnants of a once thriving tribe, depicted the early life of Canada with ability that is at the command of none but the experienced. Chief, Mr. Ted Ensign; Squaw, Mrs. A. McKinnon; Papoose, daughters of Mr. W. McKinnon.

The refreshments were enjoyed to capacity, being disposed of in the cafeteria style.

During the supper period the voluntary attractions were heartily appreciated.

Mrs. Korman excelled herself in a sword dance, and later in the high land fling. This attraction in itself brought down the house.

Humie, who checked a wicked foot in a step dance. We hope this does not spread to distant fields or there will be a demand for Johnnies, that will deprive us of his pleasing accomplishment.

Mrs. Hayes rendered a song in her able manner, which called for an encore. Words fall to dust and to the praise. Mr. Burr, of the Burr Bjornson orchestra, gave a Hawaiian guitar solo and encore. This is rare music in our district and a treat to all.

After supper the dance continued with enthusiasm till the small hours. The Burr-Bjornson orchestra finished the music. Music—we'll say it was surpassed by none.

The entertainment committee is to be congratulated on the overwhelming success of the evening.

If you missed this one, don't feel too blue, but be sure you're at the next.

P.S.—Mr. Ken Steen came to the front, making a big hit, garbed in the lingerie and ready-to-wear of Sister. Bachelors had to be entertained.

After reading the address of C. L. Willis, of the Stettler Independent, on the Western Grain Route and Transportation, we are moved to the extent of commending him on his stand. "Expounding the obstacles of the grain producers."

Such men as these are in demand. We trust we can appreciate his reasoning and reflect the logic of his statements.

Farmers' Meat Market

Next J. C. Brazier's Store

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look so well, fit so well, and wear
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We sell the better grade—To build the better trade

New Goods in Stock

Buckram and wire Hat Frames 25c.

Flowers for Hat-trimming 25c.

Swiss Hat Straw, 10 yds. 75c.

Princess Sateen, per yd. \$1.35

30 in. Gingham 30c.

J. C. Brazier

Next J. C. Brazier's Store

PENGELLY'S

Cash AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from MR. R. F. PENGELLY, of Springfield, I will sell by public auction at his farm, the South-West Quarter of Section 5, Township 38, Range 26, West of 4th Meridian; 5 1/2 miles east and 2 miles south of Red Deer (just east of Springfield Lake).

NO RESERVE NO RESERVE
Sale at 10.30 sharp. Lunch at Noon

100 HEAD OF STOCK 100

CATTLE—

1 Shorthorn Cow, fresh; 2 Holstein Cows, due to calve in May; 4 Shorthorn Cows, due to calve end of May; good Milk Cow, due to calve in June; Range Cow; 1 yearling Red Poll Bull (grade); Cow, 4 years old, in calf; 2 three-year-old Heifers; 2 two-year-old Heifers; 3 yearling Heifers; 1 yearling Steer.

HORSES—

Bay Team, geldings, 8 years, 3,000 lbs.; Team Mares, bay and brown, 3,200 lbs.; Team Mares, 3 and 5 years, 1,600 lbs.; Team of Mares, bay, 4 and 5 years, 2,400 lbs.; Team of Bay Cows, rising 4 years, 1,250 lbs.; Grey Gelding, 9 years, 1,500 lbs.; Bay Horse, 4 years, 1,400 lbs.; Brown Horse, 2 years, 1,300 lbs.; Sorrel Horse 5 years, unbroken; Team Plies, 2 years; Buckskin Saddle Horse, 6 years; Black Mare, 1,400 lbs.; 2 Cols.

HOGS, 50 Head—

Purebred Yorkshire Sow, and 11 pigs; same will be ready to wean time of sale. 3 Purebred Yorkshire Sows; 10 Young Yorkshires Sow in pig (grade); 10 Peeding Pigs, weight about 125 lbs.; balance Spring Pigs.

2 Dozen Chickens.
1 Dozen and 1 Gender.
A Quantity of Feed.

MACHINERY, Etc.

Van Brandt Drill, 20 run, single disc, with grass seed attachment; John Deere Wagon; Port Arthur Grain Box; John Deere eight foot Disc; John Deere Diamond; Set of Harrow; John Deere Harrow Cart; new Deere 14-inch Gang Plow, stubble bottom; Bull Dog Fanning Mill; complete; John Deere Sack 16-inch Stubble and Breaker; Churn; Fanning Mill; Platform Scales; John Deere Mule Packer; John Deere; Cockshutt Manure Spreader; McCormick Binder, 8 foot cut; Single Buggy; Double-seated Buggy; Bain Wagon; Brush Cutter; Set of Sleighs; Imperial Gang Stubble Plow; McCormick Mower; Potato Digger; Cockshutt Breaking Plow, 16-inch; Day Hay Stacker; Two Sets of Heavy Work Harness; Set of Single Driving Harness; Set of Heavy Work Harness with breaking; Set of Work Harness; Stock Saddle; Set Holch Harness; Milk Cans; Milk Wagon; Hay Sweep; Hay Bucker; Set Holch Sleighs; Quantity of Sacks; Wire Stretcher; Gasoline Engine, 1 1/2 horse power; Pump-jack; Quantity of Chicken Wire; Page Wire; Hog Wire; Barb Wire; set of four-horse Steel Benders; 11-inch Peed Grinder in good shape; McCormick Hay Rake; Bain Mower; Forks; Shovel; and a large quantity of small and useful tools.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

Kitchen Range; Extension Table; Set of Diners; Spring Couch; Slinger Sewing Machine; Rocking Chairs; High Chair; Pigeons; Pictures; Aladdin Hanging Lamp; Stand Lamp; 3 Beds; Springs and Mattresses; Chair; Dressing Chair; Rocking Chair; Broad Mixer; Spring Lounger; Gun; Bench; Kitchen Chairs; Kitchen Table; Kitchen Cupboard; Quantity of Good Books; Good Heater; Crockery and Kitchen Utensils.

TERMS CASH

N. White - Auctioneer

PURE IRISH LINEN DAMASK TOWELLING
Special Sale Price, \$1.95 yard

Here's a splendid opportunity to replace your table linen at a saving. Splendid cloth of good weight, in neat rose design; 72 in. wide.

It Pays to Pay Cash

The W. E. LORD CO. LTD. RED DEER, ALBERTA
Registered TRADE MARK No. 30760

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"EMPRESS" MAHOGANY AND BROWN
CALF OXFORDS AND STRAP PUMPS
Regular \$10.00, at \$6.95 pair

New Arrivals in Stylish Dresses

NEWEST WEAVES AND COLORS
LOVELY SILK TRICOLLETTE DRESSES
at \$18.50 to \$22.50



These dresses are in the new drop stitch weave effect in colors of Nigger, Dark Brown and Sand. Some have short sleeves, trimmed with Ecu lace, novelty pockets of Ecu lace, tie collar effect.

STYLISH DRESSES OF VELLA-VELLA

Unusually smart dresses, developed of Vella-Vella cloth in rich shades of Nigger and Golden Brown, Delf Blue with side drapes and panel effects. Sizes 16, 18, 20. Each \$25.00 and \$28.50

The New Coats for Spring

They are here in so many style effects, in the newest weaves and most popular colors that limited space permits us to mention but a few numbers. You must see them to appreciate their splendid tailoring and original style features.

Stylish Coats of All-Wool Polo and Velour in new models, and smart styles, finished with pockets, side belts, and novelty buttons. Sizes 16 to 38. Priced from \$12.50 to \$23.50

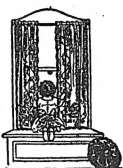
Coats in All-Wool Checks, long straight lines, loose back, large patch pockets, finished with buttons, convertible collar, from \$19.75 to \$28.50
Sizes 17 to 20.

Smart Up-to-Date Coats, in All-Wool Velour, with embroidery and fancy stitching, side belt, loose back, finished with large pockets and roll collar. \$14.95 to \$32.50
Sizes 16-40.

Stylish Coats of Poret Twill, heavily embroidered, side ties, novelty buttons, from \$32.00 to \$42.00
Sizes 36-40.



Newest of DRAPERIES



We have a full range of Curtain Materials, in Tuscan Nets, Marquisettes, Lace, Madras, Scrim and Muslin.

TUSCAN NETS—The season's latest in curtain materials; makes a very beautiful and effective drape. Large mesh with rich design, in Ecu only; 38 inches wide. Per yard 85¢ and \$1.25

MARQUINETTE—Very fine quality in stripe or cross bar design, cream only; 36 inches wide; per yard 60¢

MARQUINETTE—Dainty patterns in spot and small design; 36 inches wide; per yard 75¢

LACE CURTAIN NET in filet design with lace trimmed edge; 40 inches wide; per yard 60¢, 75¢ and 95¢

LACE CURTAIN NETS, white or cream, in pretty designs; 36 to 40 inches wide; per yard 35¢, 45¢, 55¢

PLAIN MARQUINETTE in fine quality with neat border design; cream only; 36 inches wide; per yard 45¢

WHITE CURTAIN MUSLIN in dainty spot or bow knot design; 36 inches wide; per yard 40¢

CREAM SCRIM in fine quality with neat border design; 36 inches wide; per yard 20¢ and 25¢

FINE ART MARQUINETTE—Much in demand for side drapes, etc. We have a full range of these in beautiful colorings; 36 in. wide; per yard 50¢, 60¢, 65¢ and 70¢

SILK MADRAS in golden brown shade, very rich and effective drape; 36 inches wide; per yard \$1.65

COTTOO CHINTZ, makes ideal covering for quilts, box covers, drapes, etc. The patterns are dainty and we have a large stock to choose from. 36 inches wide; per yard 35¢

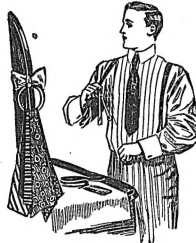
Women's and Children's Hose

"MERCURY" HEAVY SILK HOSE FOR WOMEN
POINTED HEEL, \$2.25 pair

Knitted of pure thread silk, full fashioned, pointed heel, reinforced feet, heels and toes; sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

WOMEN'S ART SILK HOSE, SECONDS, 39¢ pair
A very fortunate purchase permits us to offer these manufacturers' seconds at this unusually low price; the defects are so very small that they can hardly be noticed and will not affect their wearing qualities; full fashioned, perfect fitting; black only; in sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2.

Men's High Grade Furnishings AT POPULAR PRICES



Buying direct from the factories, you can always count on getting fresh and reliable goods here at right prices.

DRESS SHIRTS

Here you will find all the new cloths in the latest designs; English broadcloth, Super Cord, Dimity, Chambrays and Prints; "Arrow" and other leading brands in fast colors and made to fit perfectly; sizes 14 to 18.

Priced at \$1.75 to \$4.75

SPRING NECKWEAR

Showing everything that is new in spring neckwear for men and young men. You will be delighted with our wide range and the popular prices.

KNITTED TIES

Dozens of new patterns are shown in these popular ties. Lovely soft silk finish, reversible, and will stand the hard wear. Priced at 50¢ and \$1.00

CASH'S POPLIN TIES—The favorite narrow spring tie for soft collars; plain and fancy designs, reversible; will outwear two ordinary ties. Real Irish poplin. Try one. Priced at \$1.00

WIDE END SILK TIES—The old reliable tie that is always in demand with well dressers. The new patterns for spring are sure to please. A big range and all on display, at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50

RESILO (The Resilient Cravat)—The very latest improvement in neckwear. The patented construction gives springiness that holds the shape as when new, banishes wrinkles, knots smoothly and smartly. They are new. Let us show you these. Price \$1.00

MEN'S HALF HOSE

A wonderful showing of spring half hose in all the popular brands and prices.

SILK AND WOOL—A real dressy sock in shades that will appeal to men who dress well; shades of black, navy, red, green, tan and brown, two tone effect; all sizes. Priced at 75¢ pair

SILK AND LISLE—Beautiful shades of fawn, brown and greys, with silk clox, lovely pure silk finish, perfect in fit and workmanship. The young man's favorite. These are classy. Per pair 65¢ and 90¢

LISLE HOSE IN SELF COLORS—A popular price hose that will take with young men; snappy shades of greys, fawn and tans; mercerized finish. Priced, per pair 50¢

COTTON DRESS HALF HOSE—Brown and black dress cotton half hose, fine even cotton yarn, comfortable and dressy. Specially priced at, per pair 25¢ and 35¢

SCOUT GLOVES—The boys will go wild over these gloves; made from smoked buckram leather, gauntlet style with fringe; stamped "Boy Scout." These are bound to please the boys. For small boys, priced, per pair \$1.00
For large boys, priced, per pair \$1.15

KNITTED TIES FOR BOYS—Boys' Knitted Ties in a great variety of patterns. Just like dad's. Just what the boys like, and they are dressy. Priced at 50¢

HANDKERCHIEFS FOR BOYS—Plain white and colored borders, full boys' size; lovely soft finish. Specially priced, 2 for 25¢

BOYS' TWEED CAPS—It is now time to cast off winter headgear and the boys do like a cap that looks like dad's. We have them in a wide range. Send the boys here. Priced at 95¢, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.65

BOYS' ALL-WOOL GOLF HOSE, \$1.25 pair
Knitted of strong Worsted yarns, in heather shade, with fancy stripe tops; sizes 8 to 10.

"BUSTER BROWN" STOCKINGS FOR STURDY BOYS AND GIRLS
Knitted of selected cotton yarns, to stand the rough every-day wear that boys and girls put them to; sizes 5 1/2 to 11. Priced at, per pair 45¢ to 65¢

SPECIAL

CHILDREN'S HEAVY BLACK COTTON HOSE, 25¢ to 35¢ pair
Knitted of strong cotton yarns in 1x1 rib, reinforced toes and heels.

GROCERY SECTION

EVAPORATED FRUIT

PRUNES

70-80, 5 lb packet 70¢

70-80, 25 lb box \$3.25

80-90, 25 lb box \$2.85

40-50, 2 lbs for 45¢

PEACHES

Standard quality, 25 lb box \$3.45

Practically peeled, 25 lb box \$3.35

5 lb packets 90¢

APRICOTS, choice quality, 5 lb pk. 95¢

PEARS, choice quality, 5 lb pk. 95¢

SILVER PRUNES, choice quality, 5 lb packet \$1.10

BLACK FIGS, choice quality, 5 lb. 80¢

RAISINS

Seedless, 5 lb packet 65¢

Thompson's Seedless, 5 lb packet. 80¢

Seedless, 5 lb packet 80¢

CURRENTS, re-cleaned, 2 lbs for 45¢

ONTARIO HONEY

5 lb packet 95¢

10 lb packet \$1.85

PURE JAM

Standard Empire, Strawberry, 4 lb 80¢

Maple Ridge, Strawberry, 4 lb 80¢

Maple Ridge, Raspberry, 4 lb 95¢

Maple Ridge, Black Currant, 4 lb. 95¢

Royal City, Apricot, 4 lb. 85¢

Royal City, Peach, 4 lb. 85¢

Mixed Jam, any flavor, 4 lb. 85¢

MARMALADE

Pure Orange, Eamann, 4 lb 80¢

Pure Grape Fruit, Eamann, 4 lb 80¢

Pure Pineapple, Eamann, 4 lb 80¢

Pure Orange, Sheriffs, 4 lb 80¢

Pure Pineapple, Sheriffs, 4 lb 80¢

ROGERS GOLDEN SYRUP

5 lb pails 60¢

10 lb pails \$1.15

20 lb pails \$2.10

EDWARDSBURG OR BEE HIVE

5 lb pails 50¢

10 lb pails 95¢

20 lb pails \$1.85



BOYS' SOLID LEATHER BOOTS

Sizes 1 to 5 at \$2.95 pair

Made of good quality wax split leather, good weight soles, full quarters, strongly sewn with heavy waxed thread.

BOYS' BROWN CANVAS LEATHER SOLED BOOTS
at \$1.95 and \$2.25 pair

Made of good quality canvas with leather toe cap and vamp, good weight leather soles, and leather heels; sizes 11 to 13, per pair \$1.95
Sizes 1 to 3, per pair \$2.25

MEN'S BROWN CANVAS BOOTS at \$2.75 pair

Good quality canvas with leather toe cap, vamp and back strap; have medium weight leather soles and rubber heel lift.

MEN'S MEDIUM DRESS BOOTS

Special \$4.75 pair

A real good boot for medium wear; uppers of good quality black box kip leather, good weight sewed soles, medium low heels; sizes 6 to 11.



MEN'S BLACK NEOGRAIN WORK BOOTS, Special \$4.50 pair
Here's a boot that will give the best of wear; made of pliable chrome tanned leather, good weight double soles, plain toe, full bellows tongue to keep out wet and dirt; sizes 6 to 11.

MEN'S MAHOGANY GRAIN LEATHER PLAIN TOE WORK BOOTS, \$4.75 pair
Unusually good value; made of heavy grain leather very strongly stitched with heavy wax thread; heavy double soles are sewn and rivetted; sizes 6 to 11.

MEN'S OIL TAN SHOE PACKS, \$2.75 pair

Made of heavy oil tanned leather with bellows tongue; light serviceable footwear for wet weather; sizes 6 to 12.

MEN'S HIGH CUT SHOE PACKS at \$3.25 pair

Heavy oil tanned leather, full bellows tongue; just the thing for wet weather; sizes 6 to 12.

SPECIAL—GIRL'S BOOTS at \$2.95 pair

Oddments in broken lines from regular stock; they are in Gun Metal, Brown and Black Kid, Patent Leather; mostly all sizes, 11 to 2.

CHILDS' LACE BOOTS

Sizes 5, 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2 only

Regular \$2.75 and \$3.00, at \$2.25 pair

They are in "William's" make in black gun metal and mahogany calf leather.

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German Chemists Say They Can Extract Oil from Rich Alberta Product

Edmonton, March 19.—German chemists say they have solved the riddle of the Athabasca tar sands. Area of tar sands along the Athabasca river have been purchased and two plants will be built: one on the northern river, where the mineral will be mined and the sand extracted; and the second plant in Edmonton, where the bitumen and oils will be reduced and refined.

Dr. Ing K. Glinz of the parent German company, and his chief construction engineer, A. Streppel, will arrive in Edmonton in May, to decide the location of the plants, word to this effect having been cabled to H. O. Zwarg here. This latter gentleman, who was a chemist in Germany prior to coming to Canada, has been working on the problem for the last five years. He spent five months in Germany and convinced the mineral experts

that Alberta possessed vast resources of the tar sands. He also shipped between three and four tons of the mineral over, and to use his own words with respect to the German chemists, "their eyes popped when they saw how rich it was."

Have—"I tell you what, Young, I have the sharpest wife you ever saw in your life. Why, the other day I gave her just barely enough money to go out and buy one dress, and if you'll believe it she came home with two."

Young—"That is sharp. How did she manage it?"

Have—"Why, she bought one, and the other she had on when she went out."

THE LESSER OF TWO EVILS

"I'll be mighty glad when I start school," announced Willie one day.

"Why will you be glad, dear?" asked his mother in surprise.

"Well, then, you an' papa will have to cut out this spellin' of words that you don't want me to hear."

ALBERTA IS BEST PLACE TO RAISE BACON HOG, SAYS REID

Experimental Farm Expert Lauds Opportunities Here

Edmonton, March 18.—That Alberta is the best producing country on the map for producing first class bacon, but that its capacities in that direction are not being taken advantage of as they should be, were leading points brought out during a sitting of the agricultural committee of the house Monday morning.

The assembly chamber took on a strongly rural, back to the land complexion, while the committee heard expert evidence on the hog raising and grading question from F. H. Reid, superintendent of the experimental farm at Lacombe, N. Curtis, Dominion livestock representative at the Edmonton stockyards, and Prof. Sackville, of the animal husbandry branch at the university.

It was all about how to produce the right kind of money-making, sure-to-sell, good-tasting bacon pork. No legislation immediately bearing on this question is now before the house, and the agricultural committee was seeking only to secure information bearing up on the industry in general.

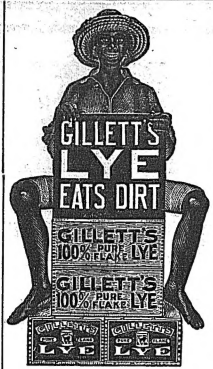
Oats Best Feed

Bacon is the best and most profitable line for the hog breeders of Alberta to handle, said Mr. Reid, because this province grows the best oats and is the best feed for good lean bacon meat. In fact, declared the Lacombe expert, the Alberta farmers will have to produce bacon hogs if he expects to stay in the business. A strong point in favor of his doing so is the fact that there is an unlimited market for bacon, though but little demand for other kinds of pork. Some questions were asked by members of the committee about the comparative merits of bacon and lard from the farmer's point of view, and Mr. Reid stated that the Alberta producer can not compete with the corn fed lard hog of the United States.

Bacon Best Type Here

He was most positive in his opinion that bacon is the staple line for the farmers of this province to specialize in. It is cheaper, he said, to raise the bacon type in Alberta than the lard type of hog. The result of some feeding experiments at the Lacombe farm will be available for the public in a short time, said Mr. Reid.

About 400 hogs were fed last year with a view to finding out the kinds and ways for most economical production. Not enough bacon hogs are coming in now to supply the packers' requirements, declared Mr. Curtis, speaking from his knowledge of the situation at the Edmonton stockyards. The export business on overseas orders is at a standstill because of this shortage of supply, and farmers are



losing a real opportunity.

Small Percentage Select

Mr. Curtis made the statement in reply to a question that 2.63 percent of the hogs now being received at the stockyards are grading select. The new grading system, by which 10 percent premium is paid for select stock, has not been of advantage to the packers, he said, but it has been a benefit to the farmers, who have been paid the premium for each stock as they had to offer.

As to the breeds most suitable for conditions in Alberta, it was Mr. Reid's opinion that the Yorkshire heads the list, because of its special bacon producing quality, and the Tamworths come next.

A good deal of cross breeding is being done, with excellent results, and in this way the farmers are gradually grading up to bacon. The bacon hog and the dairy cow are the best combination for the Alberta farmer, declared Mr. Reid, for the two work so well together that they will solve the problems for many farms and will provide a steady income.

WHERE HER MONEY WENT

"Jane," said the regretful banker employer to his cook, "if you want advice at any time about the investment of your money I'll be very glad to help you."

"Thank you, sir," replied Jane, "but I'm very good of you, sir, but you see, I send all my savings to my brother in the West, sir, and he puts it all in irrigated lands."

"My teacher's name is Brown," said the first little girl.

"My teacher's name," replied the other little girl, "is Davis, but I don't know what color it is."

GEMS OF THOUGHT

We build on the ice, and write on the waves of the sea. The waves roar, pass away; the ice melts, and away goes our palace, like our thoughts.—Herder.

So grasping is dishonesty that it is no respecter of persons; it will cheat friends as well as foes; and were it possible, would cheat even God Himself.—Bertr.

Language is the armory of the human mind, and at once contains the trophies of its past conquests, and the weapons of its future conquests.—Coleridge.

The devotion to the person of Christ that steers clear of the doctrines and precepts of Christ, is but sentimental rhapsody.—Herick Johnson.

Every step toward Christ kills a doubt. Every thought, word, and deed for Him carries you away from discouragement.—T. L. Cuyler.

Can any man or woman choose duties? No more than they can choose their birthplace or their father and mother.—George Eliot.

The training of children is a profession, where we must know how to lose things in order to gain it.—Rousseau.

The great majority of those who fall in life have failed for want of courage.—Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D.

Childhood has no forebodings; but then it is soothed by no memories of outlived sorrow.—George Eliot.

The Christian life is not merely knowing nor hearing, but doing the will of Christ.—F. W. Robertson.

Have you any enemy?—It is not too much.—Italian proverb.

To be faithless is to fail whatever the apparent force of earth.—Rev. Multis D. Babcock, D.D.

He is no safe Christian who thinks he can be safe with God, or not safe with Him.—Henshaw.

They are the true disciples of Christ, not who know most, but who love most.—Spaulding.

There is always room anywhere in the world for a holy thought.—Drummond.

A whisperer delimits his own soul and is hated whosoever he dwell eth.

As a moth gnaws a garment, so doth envy consume a man.—Chrysostom.

The fewer our wants, the nearer we resemble the gods.—Aristotle.

The shortest lived friend is sometimes the one approached for help.

The worst of vices are an unknown quantity.—A. Rhodes.

When there is no love in trouble it is a waste of time to doubt.

We are often more patient with other's sins than our own.

She neglects her heart who studies her glass.—Lafayette.

A happy heart does not wear out sooner than a sad one. Those who keep their word will never lose our trust. Just as the twig is bent, the tree is inclined.—Folke.

True charity has no memory of acts done by the way. A beautiful face is a silent commendation.—Bacon.

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No. 626	3:25 a.m.	3:30 a.m.
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BILLETS—½ inch double and stitched.

BELLYBANDS—2½ inch folded with ½ inch buckles.

BACKBANDS—5 inch housing, felt lined, ½ inch ewing billets, low strap loops spotted.

BREAST STRAPS AND MARTINGALES—½ inch, good quality, snaps and slides.

HAMES—Steel, reversible, no ball.

HAME STRAPS—1 inch.

SPREADERS—Leather, brass spotted.

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BELLYBANDS—Heavy folded, ½ layer and buckles.

BACKBANDS—5 inch shaped housing, nickel spotted, ½ inch ewing billets.

BREAST STRAPS AND MARTINGALES—1¾ heavy stock, snaps and slides.

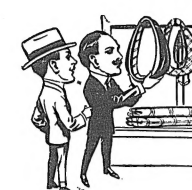
BREACHING—5 ring style, folded, 1 inch throughout, spotted rump layers, ¾ trace carriers.

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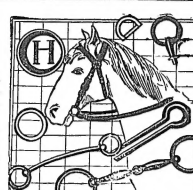
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WHY EXTEND CO-OPERATION?

Leslieville, Alta., March 26, 1924.
Editor, Red Deer News.

In the News issue of recent date we read also report of a meeting of the Alberta Dairyfarmers' Association.

At this session the Honourable Mr. Geo. Howley took it upon himself to express the opinion that the time is not ripe for co-operation of dairy produce marketing.

As an advocate of the contemplated co-operative effort, I feel it my duty to make reply. We are striving to accomplish the financial, progressive betterment of our class. If the time for such a step is not opportune or feasible, we believe we are open to conviction, contrary to our present view.

We must at this time give unstinted credit to the promoters and builders of the Alberta dairy industry. It will be very unreasonable to contemplate the destruction of a work of this nature and commendable accomplishment.

"This feat of destruction is not contemplated but is considered inevitable by many."

However, while those who were instrumental in the promotion of the manufacturing and marketing facilities, the fundamental of this industry (the farmers) were exercising their greatest ability to produce and improve, quality and quantity of this commodity.

Therefore, on these grounds, we feel we are justified in contemplating steps for the betterment of the production.

We feel that the present system of marketing and manufacture is allowed to run its course, the influx may know what the competition of the home markets, will eat up the profits to such an extent that the actual dairy producer (the cow) will not be of value to produce.

To substantiate this assertion, we must take into consideration the actual dairy producer (the cow). We find that the Alberta cow is not the envy of the universe. On the contrary, the Alberta cow is below par standard. (I quote this from general opinion; if in error, I stand corrected).

Furthermore, if the price of cream should drop, the cow of today will not be developed, but will be sold.

When the cow reaches the extent herself through the demands of nature. Robbing herself of vitality to produce, the following offering will be the result of an overtaxed system, consequently inferior.

On the return of the produce (cream) are so low as not to make it profitable to feed the cow for higher production, and the result will be that we will continue having cows fresh in the spring. Sell the surplus milk, and the result will be that we will continue having cows fresh in the spring. Sell the surplus milk, and the result will be that we will continue having cows fresh in the spring.

So much for the cow. Let us look to our industry of today.

Some time ago the majority of farmers diverted their habit of putting mixed farming to later. Grain failed to respond as predicted.

At present time I have been directed to the mother of property, the cow, to seek alleviation. At the present time I have been directed to the mother of property, the cow, to seek alleviation.

These two great components of the industry are fairly well balanced.

To the grain farmer, a certain extent, his co-operative prospect of being totally co-operatively handled. If this great undertaking fails, we will undoubtedly fail, and meet with the desired success—increased grain profit—the grain farmer will flourish.

What will be the result? We will have a return of the chaotic conditions we strive to eliminate. Vast numbers will year from the mixed farming crop, but not very desirable but necessary; remodel their farms to comply with grain production demands, flood the market, and ultimately pay the penalty of over-production.

Where is our destiny? You will possibly admit the result. If such a procedure was to be enacted, our co-operative endeavour would be nullified. We will revert to the jungle, sadder but wiser.

All farm products must therefore go hand in hand, and be elevated simultaneously as we bear the burden of overproduction (destruction of our endeavours).

One more feature I would like to emphasize. If we are to have the great superstructure of the dairy industry, why let those builders go on building a vast industry only to suffer a greater loss? Why not compromise and look further.

Submit in the spirit of progress. Thanking you for space in your valuable paper.

Yours truly,
HORACE J. MEBERS.

By Charles P. Cleaves.

Give me a taste of life!
Not a tang of the unearned bread;
Not the drap of an untitled vine.
The life that is really a feast,
That comes from no fount afar,
But springs from the toll and strife
In the world of things as they are.

Give me the whole of life!
The joy, the hope, and the pain,
The struggle whose end is strength,
The loss that is infinite gain.
Not the drought of a cloudless sky,
Not the rust of a fruitless rest,
Give me the sun and the storm;
The calm and the white sea crest.

Give me the best of life!
No life in the world with God,
Where the seed that is sown and dies
Lifts a harvest over the sod.
Where beauty and truth are one,
Where the right and the wrong are joined,
Where the storm-clouds loom for stars,
And the starlight heralds the day.

Give me the toll of life!
The muscle and mind to dare,
No luxury's lap for my hand,
No life won wealth to share.
Whether by pick or plane,
Yesterday by long or short,
Let me do a man's work among men.

SOLDIERS' WIVES' CONVENTION

Another Successful Short Course in Red Deer—Between Eighty and a Hundred Farm Women Got Together for Information and Inspiration and the Exchange of Ideas.

Today is the closing day of the fourth Short Course for wives of soldier settlers held in Red Deer. The course, provided by the Soldier Settlement Board, now the Land Settlement branch of the Department of Immigration, is coming to be looked upon as a settled annual event, and has success this year certainly justifies its continuance.

The Opening
At 1:30 on Tuesday afternoon, Dep. Mayor E. G. Johns, in the unavoidable absence of His Worship Mayor Collison, greeted the ladies who are taking the course. A speech was given and hearty welcome. He was followed by Alderman McClure, who, on behalf of the Municipal Council, wished the ladies a successful and profitable stay in Red Deer.

Miss M. E. Storey, Lady Director of the Home Branch at Ottawa, was the first speaker. She was followed by Miss A. P. Scott, Home Supervisor for the Calgary district, who had general knowledge of all arrangements in connection with Mrs. J. W. Storey.

Three Good Addresses
Miss Storey, in dealing with the subject of Farm Accounting, from the present point of view, particularly upon the necessity of system, that the farmer and his family may know what the competition of the home markets, will eat up the profits to such an extent that the actual dairy producer (the cow) will not be of value to produce.

Miss Storey took as her subject "The Land Settlement in the Home and Abroad," the deservedly popular Supervisor of the Red Deer district, discussed the Farm Accounting, and the importance of the growing of common vegetables, and dealt with various methods of making and keeping a garden.

Taking Time
On Tuesday evening those present were to have had an address from Hon. Mrs. J. W. Storey, but she was unfortunately sick in bed. Her place was very ably taken by Miss J. C. MacMillan, Director of the Home Branch, Department of Agriculture, Edmonton. Miss MacMillan's subject was "Taking Time," and she dealt with a very winsome way with the philosophy of patience and thoroughness.

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THE RED DEER NEWS, RED DEER, ALBERTA.

choral music being contributed by Mrs. B. C. Crocker, Lacombe.

Last night, Thursday, the Methodist Ladies' Aid put on for the visitors a performance of "Maiden Made Over," which was very successful.

Reading matter was generously contributed by the ladies of the I.O.D.E. and distributed after the session.

Breakfast was served each day by the hosts at the homes. Other meals were served in the basement of the Methodist church by the Methodist Ladies' Aid. Acknowledgement should be made of the useful help of the Boy Scouts, who were very obliging, as they always are, and of the Girl Scouts, who looked after the babies Wednesday and Thursday nights under the kind supervision of Mrs. Fred Lund.

Whist for the Visitors
By the kind invitation of the Admiral Sir Christopher Cradock Chapter, I.O.D.E., whist for Red Deer visitors was served in the basement of the Methodist church on Wednesday evening at the Alexandra hall, and a delightful time was enjoyed.

The prizes were won as follows: First, Mrs. H. P. Ellis, Jardine; second, Mrs. Welsh, marmalade jar; third, Mrs. Brinker, cup and saucer.

With Mrs. J. A. Martin—Mrs. J. A. Ferguson, Glibby; Mrs. A. Whittier, Glibby.

With Mrs. J. M. Connors—Mrs. A. H. Hansen, Lacombe; Mrs. L. L. Long, Clive.

With Mrs. J. McMillan—Mrs. E. W. Lewis, Red Deer; Mrs. E. Soderberg, Red Deer.

With Mrs. L. J. Porter—Mrs. J. G. Leslie, Leslieville; Mrs. D. Malcolm, Leslieville.

With Mrs. A. Martin—Mrs. J. G. Long, Ridgewood.

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Drills: Drills will be held each Wednesday and Friday evening until further orders. All members are asked to put in as many drills as possible before outside training starts.

Wearing of Uniform: Attention of all ranks is directed to the posters displayed in the Post Office, Armouries, and other public places, regarding the wearing of any article of military clothing except on authorized occasions. Drastic measures will be taken to enforce these regulations, and police have received instructions to take action against offenders.

Authorized Occasions: Authorized occasions are such as are made known from time to time through unit orders, viz., drills, church parades, camp, and other unit parades, also those gatherings to commemorate anniversaries, such as Armistice Day, etc., and any occasion for which permission to wear uniform has been requested and granted.

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COMING EVENTS

Hockey Club dance, Friday, March 28th. Bone's Orchestra.

The W.C.T.U. will meet on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the parlour of the Methodist Church.

A box social will be held in the new Orange hall at Hara Hill on Friday, March 29. Everyone welcome.

Box social and concert in the Poplar Ridge school next Friday evening, 8 p.m., March 28th. Everybody welcome.

There will be a concert and basket social in the Poplar Ridge school, Friday evening, March 28th. Everybody welcome.

See A. McRae, Gaetz-Ewart, W. E. Lord Co., C. W. Hamilton, D. B. Ross or J. L. Clark, Hepworth Apartments, for oranges and lemons.

The Valley Creek Baseball Club will hold a box social and dance in the Divide Community Hall on Friday, April 4th. The Club has arranged for a program of radio music in addition to the usual music. Price of boxes limited to \$2.00.

ROTARY MINSTRELS

The Rotarians and their friends are practicing twice a week now in order to have everything in fine shape for the Minstrel show, on Thursday, April 3rd, in the Rex Theatre. The programme will be divided into three parts. The first part will be the minstrel show proper and will consist of choruses, solos and monologues. The jokes, handled by clever and men, will not all have whippers and will have a local slant to them. The second part of the show will take the form of a short concert programme, when brilliant local artists will appear in vocal and instrumental numbers. A dainty courtroom sketch will wind up the show, and it promises to be a scream. The citizens will be surprised to see how some of our local citizens who have been rated as cold-storage players can actually loosen up when duty demands.

Helen Moore Dave is in charge of the musical end of the show and has been wonderfully successful in whipping the boys into shape. Mrs. C. W. Sanders, Mrs. T. R. McDowell and Mrs. E. G. Johns are the accompanists, which assures an exceptional treat. The proceeds of the show are to be used to help equip the community playground which the Rotary Club plans to establish this summer.

CHURCH NOTICES

St. Luke's (Anglican) Church: Special short Wednesday service of prayer and intercession tomorrow evening at 8 p.m.

Sunday next, March 30, 4th Sunday in Lent: 11 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion; 2:30 p.m., Sunday school; 7:30 p.m., choral evensong and sermon. Rev. G. McComas, M.A., Rector.

Knox Church, March 30th: Service at 11 a.m. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. Song service, 7:15 o'clock. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. F. D. Roxburgh, of Edmonton, will conduct both services.

Christian Science Society. Services Sunday at 11 a.m. and Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Reading room open Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30, and Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, except on holidays. The public are cordially invited to attend.

The Methodist Church, Pastor Rev. J. W. Churchill. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. "The Greatest thing in the world." 7:30 p.m., service of song. Illustrated address on China—her people and customs. Questions answered arising out of last Sunday evening's sermon. Bright music and helpful fellowship.

Salvation Army: Sunday service at 11 a.m. Holiness meeting. Subject, "He is able to succour them that are tempted." Sunday school, 2:30. Memorial service, 7:30. Subject, "What is Heaven?" Everybody welcome. Sunday school on north side, 1:30. Meeting at 3 p.m. for adults.

Baptist Church services: Services at the usual hours. Morning service at 11 a.m.; Sabbath school at 12:00. Evening service at 7:30 p.m. Poplar Ridge: Sabbath school at 2:30 p.m.; service 3:30 p.m. H. C. Olson, Pastor.

BY-LAW NO. 29

A By-law of the Municipal District of Pine Lake, No. 335, to provide ways and means for the extermination of Gophers.

The Council of the Municipal District of Pine Lake, No. 335, under and by virtue of the authority vested in them by the Municipal Districts Act, enacts as follows:

1. Every owner or occupant of land situated wholly or partially within the said Municipal District shall on or before the 20th day of April, 1924, place his land and on the road allowance to the south and west of his land the Gopher Poison provided by the said Municipal District, and take such other steps towards the extermination of Gophers as the said Council shall direct.

2. On or after the said 20th day of April, 1924, if such owner or occupant has not taken such proper steps as are required by the Council of the Municipal District of Pine Lake, No. 335, to enter upon any land situated either wholly or partially within the said Municipal District and such persons may take such steps and do such acts as may be deemed necessary by the said Council to exterminate the Gophers on the said land.

3. The amount expended on the work of the said Council in taking such steps to exterminate the Gophers as aforesaid may be recovered from the owner or occupant of such land situated either wholly or partially within the said Municipal District in the same way as Municipal taxes and rates may be recovered under the Municipal Districts Act. Provided that the amount expended annually shall not exceed two and one-half cents per acre.

Dated and passed in open Council this sixth day of March, 1924.

(Sgd.) ROBT. E. FISKE, Reeve.
(Sgd.) W. E. TREMBAY, Secretary-Treasurer.

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ROBT. KAISER.

March 24th, 1924.

L.O.L. No. 2684

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